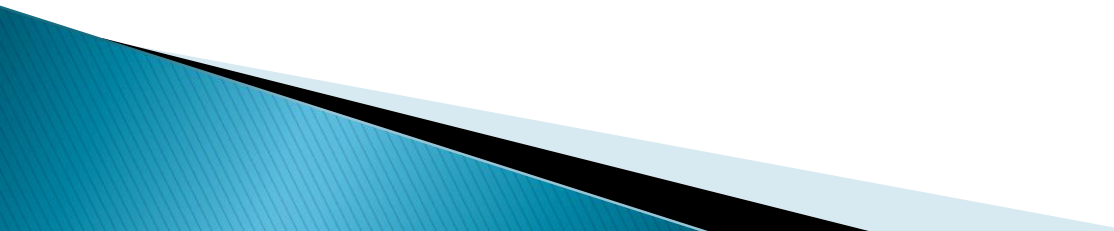


Mojave IRWM Group

Boundaries
coincide with
MWA Boundaries



IRWM Governance/Membership

- ▶ Governed by a 7-member elected Board of Directors
 - ▶ The Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) to the Board serves as the primary stakeholder advisory group
 - Retail water suppliers
 - Wastewater agencies
 - Cities/towns/county
 - Regulatory agencies
 - Environmental organizations
 - Private well owners and interested citizens
 - Farmers/agriculture
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Technical Advisory Committee Members

- ▶ Apple Valley Ranchos
 - ▶ Baldy Mesa Water District
 - ▶ Bar-H Mutual Water Company
 - ▶ Bighorn Desert View Water Agency
 - ▶ California Department of Fish & Game
 - ▶ Citizens for a Better Community
 - ▶ City of Barstow
 - ▶ City of Hesperia
 - ▶ City of Victorville
 - ▶ County of San Bernardino Special Districts
 - ▶ Department of Water Resources
 - ▶ Hi-Desert Water District
 - ▶ Jess Ranch
 - ▶ Joshua Basin Water District
 - ▶ Jubilee Mutual Water Company
 - ▶ Lahontan Regional Water Quality Control Board
 - ▶ Mariana Ranchos County Water District
 - ▶ Spring Valley Lakes Association
 - ▶ Town of Apple Valley
 - ▶ Victor Valley Wastewater Reclamation Authority
 - ▶ Victor Valley Water District
- *In addition, approximately 20 individual participants

Priorities

- ▶ **Basin Management Objectives:**
 - Balance future water demands with available supplies
 - Maximize the overall beneficial use of water throughout the MWA

Accomplishments Since the 2004 IRWMP

First-tier priority
Projects Identified in
the 2004 IRWMP
have been completed
or are currently
underway

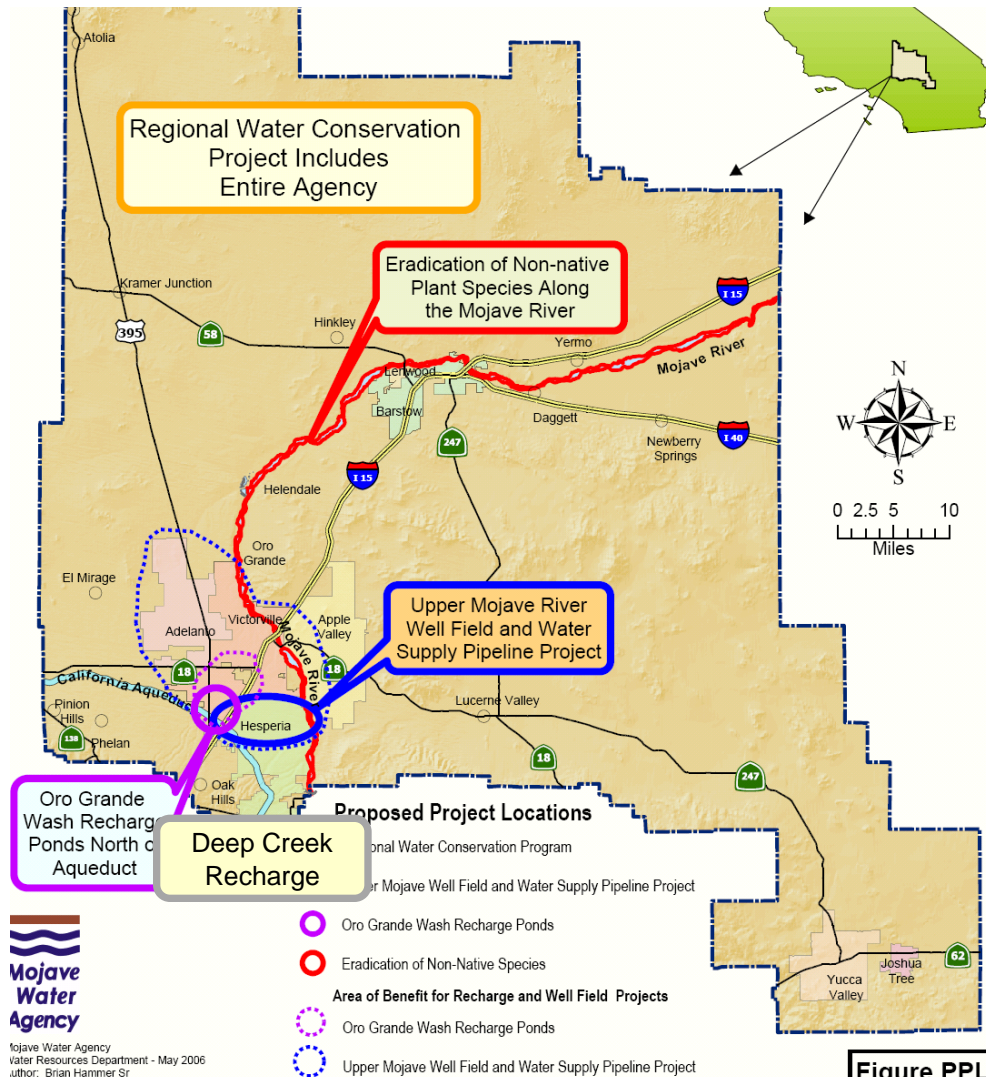


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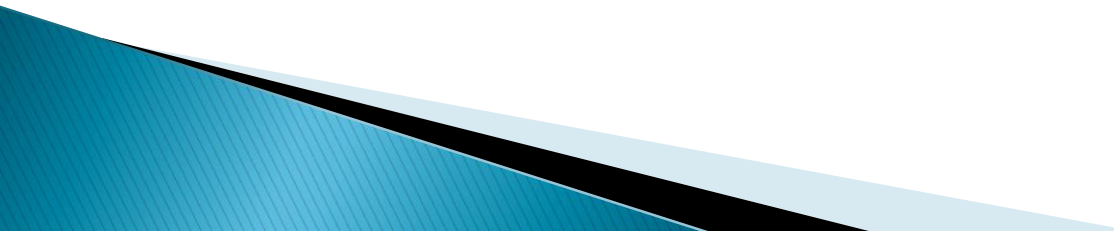
Thanks to the 2004 IRWMP, the region has been awarded over \$50M in state and federal grants

Funding Source	Prop 50	Prop 84	USBR	NRCS	US EPA	Total
R-Cubed	\$24M		\$10.8M			\$34.8M
Oro Grande Recharge			\$4.1M			4.1M
Non-Native Species Removal	\$250K			\$1.7M		\$1.95M
Water Conservation	\$250K	\$2M				\$2.25M
Joshua Basin Recharge		\$3M			\$290K	\$3.29M
Hi-Desert WD		\$3M				\$3M
VVWRA			\$2M			\$2M
TOTAL	\$24.5M	\$8M	\$16.9M	\$1.7M	\$290K	\$51.4M

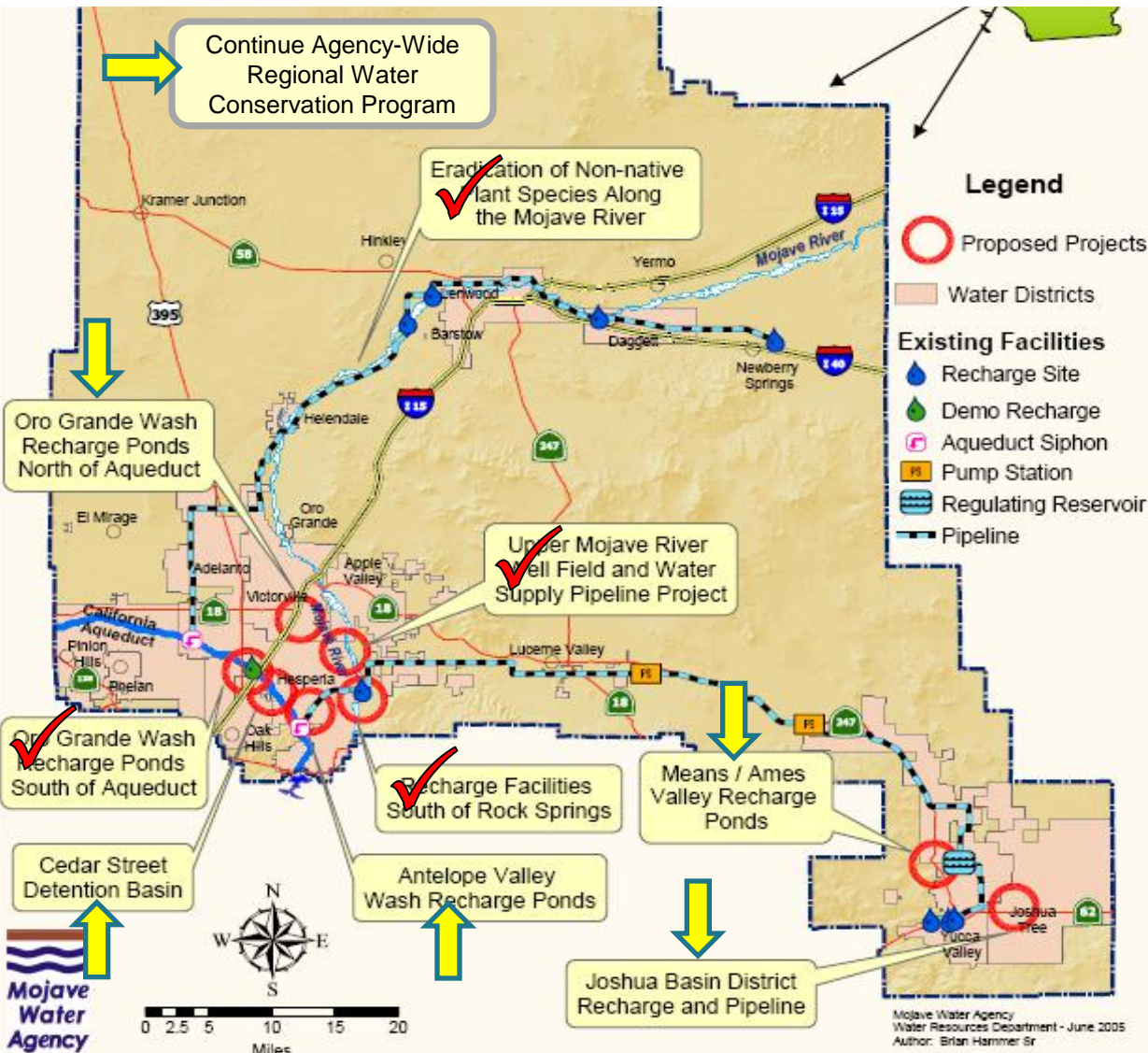
Challenges

- ▶ Funding for future projects (including funds for the IRWMP update)
- ▶ Meeting new State requirements and working with regulatory bodies to implement
 - New IRWMP standards (climate change; disadvantaged communities; etc.)
 - CASGEM reporting
 - Salt/Nutrient Management Planning
- ▶ Bringing together a diverse group of stakeholders

Opportunities/Plans for Future

- ▶ Leveraging State & Federal grant funds makes our local dollars goes a long way to accomplish needed projects
 - ▶ The stakeholders (TAC) guide the planning & prioritization of future projects and actions
 - ▶ Priority projects identified in last IRWMP not yet accomplished... (second-tier priority)
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Possible Future Projects



Second-tier
priority projects
identified in
IRWMP

→ not yet
completed
✓ Completed or
underway

Lessons Learned

- Strong community involvement with the help of a professional facilitator was key
 - Everyone has a voice
 - Science-based decision making shapes the vision for the region
 - Be flexible and keep moving in the “right” direction no matter what
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